

September 9, 2020

Via ECF

Hon. P. Kevin Castel
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Juan Antonio Hernandez Alvarado*
15 Cr. 379

*Sentencing
adjourned
from
September 16, 2020*

*to
November 10, 2020 at 11:00 a.m.*

SO ORDERED.

Dear Judge Castel:

I represent Mr. Hernandez Alvarado. I write to request that Mr. Hernandez Alvarado's sentencing, currently scheduled for September 16, be adjourned for at least a month based upon my previous discussions with the Court about access to my client. The government is consenting to an adjournment.

*[Signature], VSDJ
9-9-20*

Since our last discussion, I again have had extremely limited access to my client. There has been no in-person visiting and some video and phone visiting. We have been able to use an interpreter during those visits, but it is still very difficult to communicate effectively. As such, I have been unable to complete an appropriately thorough sentencing submission. I feel that I must be able to meet with my client in person at least once prior to sentencing, unless the public health crisis worsens to a point where that is simply impossible in the foreseeable future.

As such, I am requesting an adjournment to October or November at the Court's convenience. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Peter E. Brill